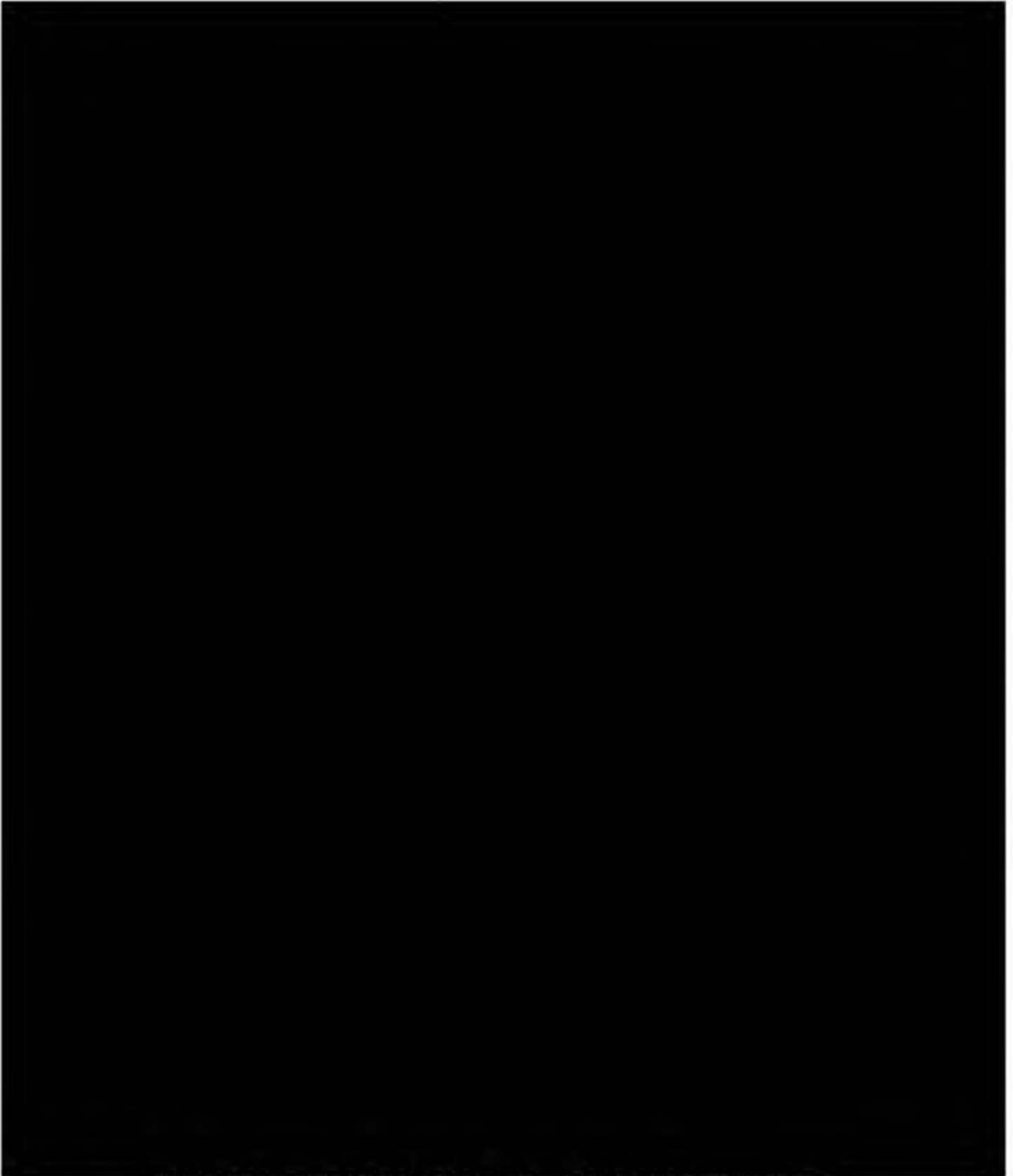


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Commo Monthly Report for August

1. Communications Training:

persons in Crypto Training Section
persons in Radio Training Section
persons in Auxiliary Training Section
persons in Covert Training Section

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2. Commo personnel strength:

persons on duty in Washington Headquarters
persons on duty in Washington Field Center
persons on duty in Alaska
persons on duty in U. S. Base Station
persons on duty in Overseas Pools
persons awaiting departure for overseas
persons in training for specific overseas positions

3. Procurement of Personnel:

applicants being processed for departmental positions
applicants being processed for specific overseas vacancies

4. Number of Commo stations in operation:

radio stations
cryptographic

5. Traffic:

Direct cryptographic communications were established between OSO
Washington and [redacted] and between CSO Washington and [redacted] Lateral
communications were established between [redacted]

	Current Month	Past Month	
CSO/OPC	807,364	1,166,616	15% decrease
CO	203,362	223,453	9% decrease
Non-OCB	10,303 (msgs)	10,663	3% decrease

6. Remarks:

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Plans have been made and necessary action has been initiated to supply a top secret GPO project to be located in the Pacific area with radio and cryptographic facilities.

Equipment was installed in the [redacted] to be used for passing preliminary communication traffic from the CIA Signal Center. This circuit was activated on 24 August.

A communications survey with appropriate recommendations was completed and forwarded to GPO for supplying communications to a sensitive project located in the Middle East area.

A request was submitted to [redacted] for use of [redacted] facilities between Washington and [redacted] as an alternate routing for traffic.

A study of the various possibilities for supplying communications facilities to the [redacted] office was made and plans have been formulated for meeting the communications requirements of that office.

Arrangements were made for the installation of TTX teletype equipment at the [redacted] Office.

Equipment consisting of RT-1 transmitters and BQ-129X receivers is being shipped to the [redacted]. Appropriate signal plans are being prepared for these operations.

Mr. [redacted] arrived at the Home Office for consultation on problems pertinent to his area. He departed on 25 August.

Plans have been completed for an initial two man communications section to install, operate, and maintain an RT-1 and manual CW backup circuit between [redacted] and the Home Office (traffic routed via [redacted]). Personnel have been selected and are presently in training. They should be ready for assignment in one month. This is for the GPO project [redacted].

Dispatched operators to [redacted] with TR-1 equipment, signal plans, etc., for [redacted] in accordance with request from [redacted].

Authorized the Acting Chief, [redacted] to participate in limited discussion with the [redacted] come representation [redacted] regarding evacuation communications. Plans involving [redacted] to commitments to the [redacted] were made a State decision on emergency and evacuation communications plans for [redacted].

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